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(57) **ABSTRACT**

An intraocular lens having a light-transmitting optic (**32**, **94***a*, **94***b*, **142**, **148**, **216**) comprised of a synthetic light-refractive material (**40**, **102**) operably coupled with a flexible optic positioning member (**34**, **62**, **74**, **84**, **100**, **150**, **210**) to refract light onto the retina in order to correct refractive errors in the eye (**10**). The refractive material has an index of refraction of from about 1.36 to 1.5 or higher. The optic positioning member (**34**, **62**, **74**, **84**, **100**, **150**, **210**) is constructed of a flexible synthetic resin material such as polymethylmethacrylate and permits focusing upon objects located near to and far from the viewer. The optic (**32**, **94***a*, **94***b*, **142**, **148**, **216**) of the present invention possess greater refractive capability than optics conventionally used in IOL construction, and permits retinal receipt of the image being viewed in order to correct refractive errors.

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